OFFICE OF THE PURCHASING AGENT



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DATE: July 26, 2014

TO ALL BIDDERS

BID NO. 14-34

SUBJECT: Cold Water Meters

ADDENDUM NO. 1

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

With reference to the bid request relative to the above subject, please note the following:

SEE ATTACHED

BIDDER MUST ACKNOWLEDGE ADDENDUM WITH SUBMISSION

All other terms, conditions and specifications remain unchanged.

Very truly yours,

Town of Arlington

Domenic R. Lanzillotti Purchasing Officer

TOWN OF ARLINGTON, MASSACHUSETTS

COLD WATER METERS Contract No. 14-34

ADDENDUM #1

REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS (RFP)

1. Delete paragraph 13(F) of the General Conditions for Contract.

QUESTIONS

1. QUESTION: Under General Conditions for Contract, on Page 4 of 7, Item 13. F., the document states that the owner may retain 5% of the contract price until substantial completion (further clarified as 95% complete later in the document). We do not typically see the Owner retain any amount on supply-only contracts. Can this be removed?

ANSWER: This addendum deletes the contract term which allows the owner to retain 5% of the contract price until substantial completion.

2. QUESTION: Under Proposal Evaluation Criteria, on Page 5 of 6, Item 4 Experience, the document states that "proposed meters have been supported and/or manufactured for 10 or more years." Does this also include the proposed register?

ANSWER: The proposed register is not included.

3. QUESTION: Can you provide an engineer's estimate, or Owner's budget (or both)?

ANSWER: The Engineer's Estimate is \$850,000.

END OF ADDENDUM NO. 1

TOWN OF ARLINGTON, MASSACHUSETTS BY ITS TOWN MANAGER

WESTON & SAMPSON ENGINEERS, INC. PEABODY, MASSACHUSETTS

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